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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Marie-Pascale AUDOUSSET) Group Art Unit: 1751

Application No.: 09/485,904) Examiner: M. Einsmann

Filed: March 22, 2000)

For: OXIDATION DYEING)
COMPOSITION FOR)
KERATINOUS FIBRES AND)
DYEING METHOD USING SAME)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

REPLY AND SUBMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Further to the Notice of Appeal filed January 11, 2002, the Response After-Final filed April 4, 2002, in response to the Final Office Action of July 12, 2001, and the Advisory Action mailed April 17, 2002, this Reply is filed together with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and fulfills the requirements of a "submission" under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. The period for reply to the Final Office Action was extended by the Petition for Extension of Time and fee filed with the Notice of Appeal on January 11, 2002, and the Petition for Extension of Time and fee filed with the Response After Final on April 4, 2002. The period for reply is now further extended to August 11, 2002, by the Petition for Extension of Time and fee filed concurrently herewith.

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